Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Dental hygienists, as licensed oral health professionals, have been actively involved in promoting oral health and preventing oral disease for over 75 years; and,

WHEREAS, Dental hygienists, as preventive specialists, contribute to the dental health of South Dakota residents and provide an essential service for their total health; and,

WHEREAS, Dental hygienists voluntarily donate time and effort to provide dental education and preventive oral care services to groups with special needs, such as elderly persons, mentally or physically disabled persons, underprivileged persons, and children; and,

WHEREAS, It is appropriate to honor the dental hygienists of the state of South Dakota and to encourage the people of South Dakota to become familiar with and appreciative of the practice of dental hygiene:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota do hereby proclaim October 15 through 21, 1989, as

DENTAL HYGIENE WEEK

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE